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SUBJ: ASSESSMENT OF DRV DIPLOMATIC CAMPAIGN IN AFRICA

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1. WE PERCEIVE NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN GOS ATTITUDE TOWARD PRG FROM THAT REPORTED REF B.

2. SUDAN'S INTEREST IN ASIAN AFFAIRS, ASIDE FROM ITS PRAGMATIC AID-ORIENTED RELATIONSHIPS WITH PRC AND NORTH KOREA, IS MINIMAL. ITS RECOGNITION OF THE PRG PARTLY RESULTS FROM VESTIGIAL ATTITUDE OF NIMEIRI REGIME'S LEFTIST "RADICAL ARAB" DAYS, AND PARTLY IS LOGICAL EXTENSION OF GOS POLICY TO RECOGNIZE ANY AND ALL AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS.

3. GIVEN THIS, WE WOULD EXPECT SUDAN TO BE PASSIVE SUPPORTERS, BUT NOT INITIATOR, OF ANY MOVE AMONG AFRICAN STATES TO SECURE INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION FOR PRG. BY SAME TOKEN, SUDAN WOULD LIKELY VOTE FOR, BUT NOT LOBBY FOR, ANY SUCH MOTION PRESENTED TO INTERNATIONAL BODIES.

4. OUR LEVERAGE WITH GOS CURRENTLY LIMITED DUE TO COOLING US/SUDAN RELATIONS FOLLOWING RELEASE OF BSO TERRORISTS. AT PRESENT WE SEE NO OPPORTUNITY FOR INFLUENCING SUDAN'S

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